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This response is made to the Office Action mailed 2 December 2003. As it is filed within three months of the mailing date, no fee for extension is due. No fees are believed to be due for excess claims. Please charge Deposit Account 15-0450 for any fee deficiency.

As this response is faxed to the Patent Office within two months of the mailing date of the final rejection, the applicant is entitled to advisory action practice rules.

This response is made under the revisions to 37 CFR 1.121, effective from 30 July 2003.

The response has the following parts:

Amendments to the Specification - none made;

Amendments to the Claims - none made;

Amendments to the Drawings - none made; and

Remarks - beginning on page 2.